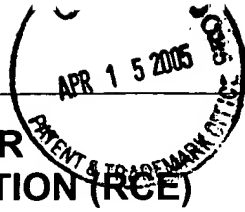


REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. §132, effective on May 29, 2000, provides for continued examination of a utility or plant application filed on or after June 8, 1995.

See The American Inventors Protection Act of 1999 (AIPA).



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This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. §1.114 of the above-identified application.

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- a. ☒ Previously submitted
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- iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
- iv. ☒ Request for Extension of Time
- v. ☒ Other: Interview Summary

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- a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. §1.103(c) for a period of _____ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(i) required)
- b. ☐ Other: _____

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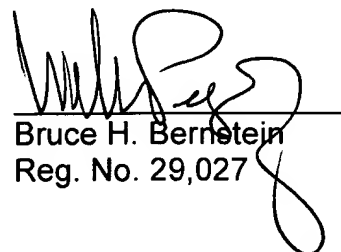
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Sir :

Pursuant the telephone interview of March 29, 2005, Applicant hereby submits the following interview summary regarding discussions held between the Examiner, the Examiner's SPE and Applicant's Representative concerning the merits of the present application.

Remarks begin on page 2 of this paper.